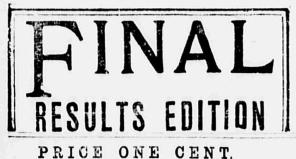
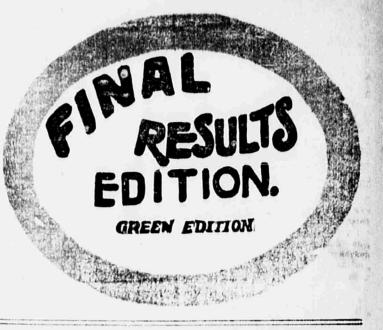
MARY GARDEN FORCES OPERA WAR 40 OF 70 IN BLAZING CRIB KILLED



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TWO BRAVE **POLICEMEN** INJURED IN

Broadway Crowd Sees "Big' Kingston Trampled and Mangled by a Horse.

Policeman McGuire Injured While Stopping a Runaway in Central Park.

juries in the act that will incapaci tate him for months. Half a dozen of his ribs were crushed and he was Later in the day Mounted Police- FALLING ICICLES ON BRIDGE lacerated from head to foot.

man Thomas McGuire chased, caught and subdued a runaway in Central Park. McGuire was pulled from his own horse and dragged nearly two blocks, but he hung on until the runbadly injured and his uniform was Big Chunks Tumble Upon Walk From Height of Sixty Feet stripped to ribbons.

BROAD WAY SEES HORSE TRAMPLE "BIG" KINGSTON.

Siceman at Twenty-sixth street and the cables and suspenders. The police and explained the situation to him. Mr. Broadway, stopped a runaway at noon believed the lives of pedestrians were in MacLean immediately gave orders to but his hurts and pain are not both. Gallagher walked across early in the to the promenade, would rebound and

"This knocks that bridsl tour to Ber. feet, came down with a resounding order to avert danger the harbor police muda next month," muttered the policeman, as they put him in an ambu- weighed three or four pounds each. It to warn passing vessels of the danger. lance and started him for New York

Kingston's victory over the runaway was brave and sensational. It was witnessed by growds on the sidewalks, in nessed by crowds on the sidewalks, in passing vehicles, in nearby stores, and in the Cafe Martin. The policeman is eix feet two inches tall, built in propertion to his height, and athletic. A smaller man would have failed, where Kingston succeeded.

The runaway was a big bay horse Flooring That Cost Handreds Transfer of the Control of the attached to a light baggage wagon belonging to the Hoffman House. Patrick Gunning, the driver, left the animal standing, unhitched at the Twenty-fifth street entrance to the hotel.

Horse Scared by Auto. The chauffeur of a passing automobile sounded a siren horn and the bay horse dollar Hall of Records building were Central Railway Company took place started for Broadway on the run. Po- torn up to-day because an oversight in to-day a; the Carnegie Trust Company. liceman Bloss, on duty at the south the plans did not provide for telephone Newman Erb and associates, who some crossing of Twenty-fifth street, made a cables. This flooring cost hundreds of time ago acquired options on a majority gush, but the animal eluded him by thousands of dollars, and is in keeping of the company's stock, paid for these peared into the waters below. turning north, cutting across the car with the general artistic fitting of the securities to-day. The deal involved be-

interior.

Bloss started in pursuit, shouting cries it warning. Drivers and chauffeurs tacked the sixth and seventh floors to cered their vehicles to the curb, giving day, sledges swinging and cold chisels in members of the board, including President W. A. Bradford ir., will tender the cold of interior. Bloss started in pursuit, shouting cries | When a large gang of workmen atthe runaway all the room he wanted.
Kingston was helf way between the sidewalk and the car tracks, escorting two women, when he happened to look town the street and saw the runaway.

It was explained that the city's Law interests of the Minneapolis, St. Paul Department, of which Corporation and Sault Ste Marte road, which the city's Law interests of the Minneapolis, St. Paul down the street and saw the runaway Department, of which Corporation and Sault Ste. Marie road, which is struggling for life in the water. Counsel Pendleton is the head, demands controlled by the Canadian Pacific Rail.

dashing toward him, the horse on a dead run.

As gently as possible in the emergency kingston huried the two women to the sidewalk. As he turned the horse was supon him. With one hand he grabbed

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EXPLOSION IN POWDER MILL KILLS FOUR INJURES TEN

Packing House of Forcite Factory Near Lake Hopatcong Blown Into Bits in Accident Supposed to Have Been Caused by Cigarettes.

POSTPONES MARRIAGE. DETEECTIVE URGES MAGISTRATE TO IGNORE A MOTHER'S PLEA Explosion Starts Blaze and

Insists on Having Young Man Held for Jerome's Inquiry After Charge Has Been Withdrawn and Court Has Ordered Discharge From Custody,

me said he had destroyed the tickets.

FORCE CLOSING OF PROMENADE

and Make Passage Between Manhattan and Brook-

lyn Dangerous to Predestrians.

o'clock this afternoon the promenade of good luck no pedestrian was struck.

the Brooklyn Bridge was closed to Capt. Murtha telephoned to Engineer traffic, on account of icicles falling from MacLean, of the Bridge Department,

Police Captain Murtha and Lieut. Some of the big chunks of ice, falling

The mosaic floors of the eight million | Transfer of control of the Wisconsin

HALL OF RECORDS

of Thousands Destroyed to

Place 'Phone Wires.

RAILWAY IN HANDS

Wisconsin Central Takes

Place To-Day.

TWO LOST IN SEA CRASH. London, Jan. 20 .- The trawler Arctic was in collision to-day with the steamer Haverstoe off Flamborough Head. The trawler went down and two members of he may lost their lives.

ON FLAMING CRIB AND 40 MEET DEATH

Chicago Workingmen Surrounded by Fire, Plunge Into lcy Waters and Drown.

CRASH KILLS OTHERS.

Many Unable to Escape From the Structure.

Mrs. Jordan gave Morgan \$5, as part | were taken to an other crib and the remainder brought ashore and conveyed to

Seventy in the Crib.

From sixty to severy-five men were usually at work in the structure, which was located one and a half miles from shore out in the lake. The exact number in the crib when the explosion occurred to-day, however, is not known, but it is generally agreed that fully seventy were

Firemen returning from the ruined structure this afternoon brought a ray of hope in their expressed belief that if any of the men had succeeded in reaching the depth of the tunnel they may have escaped. The air pumping apparatus was declared to be unimpaired. and work was begun forcing air into the tunnel.

Twenty of the seventy men at work in the tunnel under the crib, a few moving about the structure and others asleep in their bunks were suddenly confronted with death by the explosion, which imbelieved the lives of pedestrians were in danger from the big pieces of ice which, close the promenade, and Capt. Murtha in flames. Those who were not killed mediately wrapped the wooden structure as soon as the sun came out strong with a squad of men closed the enrushed but of doors to find no means of

Water on Every Side.

day. Big pieces of ice, falling some- fall into the river, making it probable times from a height of fifty or sixty that it would strike passing craft. In Lake Michigan, its surface almost cov. crowd. The fields, although lacking in souri General Assembly. smash, breaking into chunks that were notified, and stationed patrol boats ered by great cakes of broken ice. A quality, were nicely balanced and good Senator Stone's opponent, Lieut.-Gov. mile and a half distant, near the shore contests were the result. The Juvenile McKinley (Rep.), presided at the proof Seventy-third street, lay their only Cup that is down for decision next Sathope, the tug T. T. Morford. It could urday is creating a great deal of local follows: Stone, 91; McKinley, 84. This office expires on March 4 next. be dimly seen through the haze of fog interest and with good weather a ban- was a strict party vote, all pairs being ALBANY, Jan. 20—Gov. Hughes to- from me? and smoke. On the shore a dim black ner attendance is expected. OF ITS NEW OWNERS

While the crowds were gathering the

"The crib is on fire. For God's sake, send help at once or we will be burned alive. The tug"— Then the telephone my Burns has used the feed room at islature made any move toward an of alive.

Capt. Edward Johnson, of the tug one entered and stole his clothes, and INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 20.—At SENATOR IN ILLINOIS. Oh. dear, not Morford, at a nearby berth, had already he had to send to the hotel for another hoisted anchor and the sturdy little outfit before he could leave the track.

Mary Garden in Role of Thais, and



SENATORS ELECTED GOES TO YOUTHFUL IN VARIOUS STATES

Thief Steals Jockey Burns's Stone Again Chosen in Mis- Both Houses of Legislature

Riding a Race.

20.—The weather was of the real sum- William J. Stone was re-elected to-day Assembly met in joint session at noon has been a great attraction. mer brand and it was the means of to the United States Senate at a joint On every side were the waters of bringing out better than an average session of the two houses of the Mis-

card, found Spring Frog the logical only absentee. The result of the ballot Root: choice, and the natives bet on him as ends what promised to be a bitter strug- Hon. Elihu Root, Department of State, elephone rang in a station on the water if it was all over. Belle of the Bay, gle of the place. Charges of fraud in front and the voice of a frantic man who was bought out of a selling race yesterday by P. E. Fitzgerald, was sold ried by Stone over ex-Gov. Folk have people of the State of New York upon last night to W. H. Moffit.

alive. The tug"— Then the telephone my buttle has a dressing ficial investigation and wire broke and the men on shore heard Jim McLaughlin's stable as a dressing ficial investigation and wire broke and the men on shore heard. room. Yesterday, while riding, some

Clothes While He Is souri and Threatening Situation Ended.

If the feature event, the fourth on the City, who is ill at his home, being the Rectary of State Ellhu This is my opera. By every right I the Senatorial primary which was car- I heartily congratulate you and the been frequent, but none of the dissat- your election as United States Senator Since he has been riding here, Tom. isfied members of the party in the Legficial investigation and at the end all NO CHOICE YET FOR

Capt. Edward Johnson, of the tug Morford, at a nearby berth, had already hoisted anchor and the sturdy little craft was bucking the ice. The firement in the hold worked desperately getting up a full head of steam. From the deck of the boat the crin could be dimly seen. Black spots appeared, and then disappear into the waters below.

Some of the imprisoned men were seen to cling to cakes of the form were seen to cling to cakes of the form were seen to cling to cakes of the form and them were seen to cling to cakes of the form and the form and the surdy little for a farm and then to disappear.

Jumped into Lake.

When the tug reached the scene victims of the fire, their hair singed.

THIRD RACE—Purse \$150\$ for three-very long and to the hotel for another outfit before a nother and to the hotel for another outfit before a nother and the loint session of the Indiana Legislature in John session of the House and Senate and upward; five furlongs—Purity of the seed of the imprisoned men were seen to cling to cakes of the form were seen to cling to cake of the form were seen to cling to cake of the form and the surdy little or the seed of the seed o

Cavalieri, Who May Replace Her. MARY GARDEN OUTS OPERA BECAUSE HER RIVAL GETS PET ROLE

Announcement That Cavalieri Will Sing "Thais" Precipitates Resignation of Singer Whose "Artistic Soul" Is Shocked.

"SHE CAN'T RESIGN," SAYS IMPRESARIO HAMMERSTEIN

Not Jealous, Retiring Star Declares, but She Couldn't Sit Idly By and See the Great French Work "Ruined" by Singer of Italian School.

My Dear Mr. Hammerstein: On Monday afternoon, when you told me that you were to engage Mme. Cavalieri to sing "Thais," I said to you that the day this announcement was advertised in the newspapers I would leave the Manhattan Opera-House. This morning the published announcement appeared, and accordingly I hereby send you my resigna-MARY GARDEN.

Jan. 20, 1909.

Following the giving out of the self-explanatory letter that is printed at the top of this column Mary Garden, the American diva, had a lot to say this afternoon about her action in quitting the forces of Hammerstein, and say it she did in a most unmistakable and convincing manner.

U.S. SENATOR ON

Meet and Name Him Successor of Platt.

Washington, D. C.

(Signed) CHARLES E. HUGHES.

The sum and substance of it all was that since Hammerstein had persisted in his announced plan of engaging the beautiful Cavalleri to sing "Thais" she, Miss Mary Garden, would never darken the doors of his opera house again unless-and here it might be well to quote her own language-"unless Oscar Hammerstein makes a new contract with

Has Resigned "Summarily." Then she went on in this wise:

I have resigned, summarily. My ntract would have expired at the conlusion of this season, but I cannotmy artistic soul will not permit-to sit idly by and see a great work ruined."

"How ruined?" was asked.
"How ruined? I will tell you. When I first sang in this country I made my lebut in 'Thais.' It was never a great money-making work. What it is in this country I have made it. I put my heart RACE TRACK, Savannah, Ga., Jan. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 20.- ALBANY, Jan. 20.-The Senate and never sang before. The opera since then

"This opera is a French opera. In declared Secretary of State Elihu Root Cavalieri is of the Italian school. Her and see my work, my reputation, taken

> should sing the role if it is produced. Mr. Hammerstein has seen fit to ignore my rights. Very well, let him do so. I

> It is simply the rebellion of my heart and my artistic soul at what I feel is

Jumped into Lake.

When the tug reached the scene victims of the fire, their hair singed off and their skins blackened, were atruggling for life in the water. Some of them fought against their rescuers, only to sink unconscious on deck when forced aboard the tug. Others, were clinging to the edge of the crib. When everybody in sight had been taken aboard a second muffled explosion was heard, probably marking the state sending to the edge of the crib. When everybody in sight had been taken aboard a second muffled explosion was heard, probably marking the state sending to the edge of the crib. When everybody in sight had been taken aboard a second muffled explosion was elected united to the services for four tract that gives me her serv